

IN CONGRESS.

A Forecast of the Business During the Present Week.

The Appropriation Bills and Our Foreign Relations in the Senate.

A Majority on the Dupont (Delaware) Case Will Favor Seating Mr. Dupont—An Early Adjournment Already Talked of—Probable June 1.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—The coming week in the senate will be devoted to action on appropriation bills and discussion on our relations with foreign powers. The better part of the week, not counting unexpected matters that may be injected during the morning hours, will be given over to the consideration of the military academy bill, which now has the right of way, and the pension and consular and diplomatic appropriation bills. These will exhaust the appropriation bills so far reported to the senate by the committee, but inasmuch as the consular and diplomatic bill may cause a general discussion of foreign affairs, it is assumed that the entire week will be consumed in disposing of the appropriation measures now on the calendar. It is doubtful if Mr. Morrill will endeavor to call up the tariff bill again this week. Republicans who have carefully canvassed the situation say that such a motion would tend to complicate matters and that no good can grow out of it until they have brought about a cohesion of sentiment in their own ranks and secured the one necessary vote from the ranks of the populists. This, at present, seems impossible, and Mr. Morrill, it is believed, will not renew his motion until he is sure of its success. Mr. Davis, of the foreign relations committee and author of the resolution reported from the committee enunciating the Monroe doctrine, which has not yet been passed and possibly never will be passed, will address the senate upon that resolution Monday. This speech has been anticipated for some time with a great deal of interest owing to the advanced ground taken by Mr. Davis and his well-known familiarity with the whole subject. His speech is expected to set forth the position of the ultra radicals on the subject in a clearer light than has yet been cast upon it.

The Cuban resolution, supplemented recently by an additional report from the committee on foreign relations declaring it to be the opinion of congress that this government should remain neutral and grant all parties in the struggle now pending in Cuba equal rights, has the right of way as the unfinished business, temporarily displaced by the appropriation bills, and it will doubtless call out a number of speeches during the time that appropriation bills may not be under discussion. Mr. Mitchell, chairman of the committee on privileges and elections will Monday submit to the senate the majority report on the Dupont (Delaware) case, in favor of seating Mr. Dupont. The minority report, in the hands of Mr. Gray will soon follow, and this matter, involving a question of the highest privileges, may at any moment be called up for consideration.

An early adjournment is already talked of. A few senators are hopeful that congress may get through by the first of June. Among some of the republican leaders every nerve is being strained to accomplish this result so that nothing may interfere with their attendance upon the national conventions and the campaigns that will immediately follow.

There is nothing in sight in the house but appropriation bills. When the house adjourned Saturday afternoon general debate had just been concluded on the bill making appropriations for the agricultural department for the next fiscal year, but Chairman Wadsworth expects that a day or two more at least will be consumed in the discussion of the bill under the five-minute rule. There are, it is understood, other members than those who expressed their opinion Saturday who desire to say things about Secretary Morton's refusal to expend the appropriation made in the bill for the current year for the distribution of seeds. Besides the agricultural bill, there is on the calendar the army appropriation bill, and the Indian bill is ready to be reported.

HEAVY ROBBERY.

A German Arrested in Mexico Charged With Stealing \$50,000 From a Hamburg Business House.

St. Louis, Feb. 17.—A special to a morning paper from Coatzacoalcas, Mexico, says: Herman Biemann, a German, has been arrested on a plantation 90 miles south of here on the charge of robbing a business house of Hamburg, Germany, of the sum of \$50,000. Application has been made for his extradition and he will be taken to Germany as soon as it is granted. Biemann came to Mexico about five years ago and claimed to be an Austrian.

Nominations Sent to the Senate.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—The president sent to the senate Monday the following nominations: Peter Victor Deuster, of Wisconsin, to be consul at Crefeld, Germany; William Woodward Baldwin, of New York, to be third assistant secretary of state; Joseph M. Young, to be postmaster at London, Ky.

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BUCKEYE NEWS.

Now and Interesting Happenings Within Our Borders.

INCENDIARIES

Set Fire to the Buckeye Glass Factory at Martin's Ferry—Totally Destroyed.

MARTIN'S FERRY, O., Feb. 17.—The last attempt to burn the Buckeye glass factory proved successful. This was accomplished at 1:30 o'clock Monday morning. The big works were entirely destroyed, together with much stock. The fire was discovered in the north end of the works and the plant was doomed when the department arrived. Just before the alarm was turned in three men ran from the works and one was heard to say: "We had better git, boys; she's a go."

The plant was one of the largest in the United States. When running full 500 people were employed. It cost \$260,000, and the glassware burned was worth about \$15,000. The total insurance was only about \$17,000. Everything was ready to resume work Wednesday, after a two months' stop. The works have been operated with non-union labor for one year, since which time many employees have been assaulted and driven away and attempts made to burn the establishment, to blow it up with dynamite and to assassinate the manager. The works will hardly be rebuilt. The city electric light plant was scorched and obliged to shut down.

OHIO COAL MINES

Will Soon Become Exhausted Unless Wasteful Methods Are Checked.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 17.—In accordance with a resolution passed by the State Association of Mining Engineers at its annual meeting here recently, a committee has been appointed which has a bill for presentation to the legislature under way, the object of which is to conserve the coal supply of the state. The committee is W. H. Jennings, Dr. Edward Orton, Columbus; William Smurthwaite, Steubenville; H. D. Marble, Cleveland; William H. Gurner, Cambridge; W. F. Upson, Shawnee; H. L. Chapman, Jackson; W. B. Hanlon, New Philadelphia; Edward Orton, Jr., Columbus; and Thomas H. Love, Leesville.

According to Dr. Orton, state geologist, if the state does not prevent the wasteful methods of mining there will be no coal in Ohio in 50 years.

INCENDIARISM.

Mother, Daughter and Two Sons Charged With Burning Their Dwelling for the Insurance.

YOUNG STOWN, O., Feb. 17.—On Saturday evening Agent Pritchard, of the Columbiana Fire Insurance Co., caused the arrest on the charge of incendiarism of Mrs. I. H. Bunnell, her daughter and two sons of Canfield, O., whose dwelling house was burned on Friday night. The agent for the insurance company while inspecting the ruins found that straw and hay, over which oil had been poured, had been scattered about the house.

The Bunnell family is one of the most prominent families in Canfield and is well known throughout the county, and the arrests have caused a sensation.

THE ARGUMENTS

For and Against Extradition Papers for Jackson and Walling Will Be Heard by Gov. Bushnell.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 17.—Gov. Bushnell has arranged to hear arguments for and against the application for the extradition of Jackson, Walling and Wood, now under arrest in Cincinnati to Kentucky for trial for the murder of Pearl Bryan, on Tuesday of this week. The attorneys will make a hard fight against the requisition on the ground that no evidence has been adduced to show that the crime was not committed on this side of the river, and therefore in Ohio.

Mistook His Father For a Burglar. ZANESVILLE, O., Feb. 17.—Henry Boring, a potter at Crooksville was burning a kiln Saturday night and did not expect to go home until morning. He finished his work at two o'clock Sunday morning and attempted to climb into his residence by a window so as not to awaken the family, when he was shot twice in the head by an 18-year-old son, who mistook him for a burglar. He lived until noon Sunday with his brains oozing out of both bullet holes.

A Toledo Man Missing.

BOSTON, Feb. 17.—Herman Scharzkopf, who came from Toledo, O., to Boston, to receive medical treatment, left the office of the Peabody Medical Institute in this city on the afternoon of July 11 and since that time has not been seen or heard from by his friends. The police have been informed that Scharzkopf was seen talking with a number of tough characters and that he had displayed a considerable sum of money.

Ate Matches and Died.

YOUNGSTOWN, Feb. 17.—The three-year-old daughter of Wm. Wilson, of Canfield, while playing with sulphur matches, ate the heads from three or four matches and died from the effects of the poison within two hours of the occurrence.

President C. C. Walte III.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 17.—The condition of President C. C. Walte, of the Columbus, Hocking Valley & Toledo railway, was unchanged Sunday night. He is still in his private car at the railway station.

Call to a Woman Minister.

ZANESVILLE, O., Feb. 17.—Miss Eliza Turner, of Clifton Springs, N. Y., has been extended a call to become pastor of the Universalist church of this city. She is 22 years of age, cultured and eloquent.

AN APPEAL

Issued to the Women of the United States

To Aid Their Suffering Foreign Sisters in Armenia.

Three Hundred Thousand Christian People, Mostly Women and Children, Ready to Perish—A Strong Hand Must Reach Out to Bring Relief.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—The following appeal has been issued to the women of the United States by the Armenian relief association:

In the midst of the black ruins of hundreds of Armenian villages, appalled by the horrible murder of 50,000 men, women and children; shelterless, hungry and in fear of death, 300,000 Christian people, mostly women and children, are ready to perish in the terrible cold of a highland winter.

A strong hand must reach out to bring some measure of relief. The duke of Westminster has informed the American Relief association that committees for the distribution of help have been established in 13 principal cities under the supervision of British consular officers and American missionaries. One dollar suffices to supply one person with food for two months, so that at least \$250,000 more is required to keep the people from starvation until next April.

We appeal to 1,000 women of America to send \$100 each to save at least 100,000 women and children in the depth of the winter that is upon them. The money will be sent direct by cable through Constantinople to the committees for immediate use.

MRS. JACKSON DYING.

She Has Not Closed Her Eyes in Sleep Since Her Son's Arrest.

GREENCASTLE, Ind., Feb. 17.—This city is now as greatly excited over the murder of Pearl Bryan as it was the day the crime was discovered and, in fact, grows worse hourly as new evidence is brought to light. The citizens have sent a petition to Gov. Matthews asking him to offer a reward for the head of the dead girl.



SCOTT JACKSON'S MOTHER.

Mrs. Jackson, the mother of one of the accused, is lying at the point of death. It is doubtful if she lives 24 hours. Besides the nervous prostration with which she is suffering, she also has heart disease. She has not closed her eyes in sleep since the arrest of her son, and the medicines which are given her to produce sleep do not have the desired effect. In her conscious moments she calls for her son, prays for him and asks to see his letters. Rev. Wood has returned from Cincinnati, and expresses the belief that his boy is innocent, and is getting testimony as to his good character.

Fire in Boston.

BOSTON, Feb. 17.—The express offices of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co. (Old Colony division) on Kneeland street was burned Monday forenoon. About 300 feet of the outer train house destroyed and 40 feet of the main depot shed demolished. Six passenger cars destroyed and several badly damaged. The main depot, containing the waiting rooms and offices of the system, were not injured. The loss is estimated at \$50,000.

Destructive Fire at Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 17.—The soap and spice works of P. C. Tomson & Co., on Ottego street, above Washington avenue and the plant of the Philadelphia Cooperage Co., adjoining, were destroyed by fire Monday morning. Several dwellings on Washington avenue, in the vicinity of the factory, were badly damaged. The total loss is estimated at \$250,000.

Bicyclist Run Down by a Train.

St. Louis, Feb. 17.—Edward Pendleton, a bicycle salesman, while riding his wheel on the Missouri Pacific track near Clifton Heights, was run down by a train and instantly killed. His father, a cousin and an uncle met violent deaths within the past two years.

Forty-Nine Degrees Below Zero.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Dispatches from various points in the state of New York tell of an unusually cold wave Sunday night. At Saranac lake the mercury dropped to 49 degrees below zero, the lowest point on record in Saranac lake.

Extremely Cold Weather in the East.

BOSTON, Feb. 17.—Advices from this section and north and east of here indicate extremely cold weather Tuesday morning, the thermometer records received ranging from 10 below to 28 below zero, the latter in York county, Maine.

The Fight Declared Off.

EL PASO, Tex., Feb. 17.—Robert Fitzsimmons declared that his fight with Maher is off, and said to the crowd around him: "Now, boys, I give notice that I'll fight that big stiff Corbett at any time."

LINK BY LINK.

The Chain of Circumstantial Evidence Surrounding Jackson and Walling.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 17.—Link by link the chain of circumstantial evidence is being forged about the murderers of Pearl Bryan.

Cell Officer Henry Underwood, to whose effort is due the discovery of the Mullen cab, had another talk with the prisoners.

His first conversation was with Walling. The latter said that he wanted to tell him something, and then said that after Jackson had drugged the woman she showed signs of life, and Jackson struck her in the head with a blunt instrument, rendering her unconscious. It was while in this condition that her head was cut off.

It is now the general belief that the woman was struck in the head and for this reason the men are keeping the hiding place of the girl's head a secret.

There is a probability that the man who struck her on the head used a stonebreaker's hammer. This suspicion is borne out by a statement made by Farmer Locke.

He says that some few weeks ago a stonebreaker was working near his place on the Alexandria pike and that he had given this man permission to hide his tools during the night in the clump of bushes where the body was found.

The articles found in the rockaway coupe of Chester Mullen were: A rug with blood spots, a bead similar to those worn by the murdered girl, a lot of hair, three hair pins and a lead pencil.

The man who drove the rig in which Pearl Bryan was conveyed to the spot near Ft. Thomas where she was so brutally murdered, has been found. He is George H. Jackson, colored, and was employed for the occasion by Walling and Jackson, both of whom he readily identified in a crowd of 40 people at the jail Saturday night.

His long silence is easily explained. Hired at first under false conditions, and later compelled to drive to the scene of the murder with a pistol at his head, threatened with death if he ever told of the terrible ride, glad to escape with his life, he was more than content to remain within the inclosure of his employer's yard after a long run from the scene of the killing through the mud and rain.

Jackson and Walling, he says, met him at George and Elm on the night of Friday, January 31, and engaged him to take them to Ft. Thomas in a survey, drawn by a gray horse, which was in waiting. In the conveyance was a girl, who was beyond doubt Pearl Bryan.

Jackson drove the survey to a point within 50 yards of where the body of the unfortunate girl was found. There the two men took the girl from the survey and walked her away. She appeared to be stupefied. A few minutes later Jackson heard groans coming from the direction in which the girl had been led, and this so frightened him that he ran away, leaving the survey and party behind. He walked back to Cincinnati. This story is the connecting



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link in the chain of circumstantial evidence forged about the prisoners.

Sunday the police received information that led them to inquire into hiring out, on the night of January 31, by Chester Mullen, a Walnut Hills livery man, of a coupe rockaway and an iron-gray horse to a young man whom he did not know, but who, as he describes him, somewhat resembles the barber, Albion, who has figured slightly in the background in this remarkable case from the very hour in which the murderers were arrested.

Mr. Mullen tells a very straight story about the transaction. He says the turnout left the stable some time between 4 and 7 o'clock, and was returned between three and four o'clock—he thinks nearer four Friday morning. Both horse and carriage were covered with mud, and bore evidence of having had a long drive over very muddy roads.

Morgan Wants All Defaulted Bonds. WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—J. Pierpont Morgan has made a special demand for all defaulted bonds of the recent issue under his blanket bid of 1.10.677. Secretary Carlisle has taken the demand under advisement, but will not be able to render a decision until Tuesday or next day, as the treasury is not yet advised of the number of bonds in default. It is known, however, officially, that Wm. Graves and associates, of New York, have defaulted to the extent of \$4,500,000. Their bid was 115.3331. It is not believed that any considerable number of other bond bidders have defaulted.

Battle Between Officers and Rustlers.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Feb. 17.—Sheriff John Owens and Stock Inspector Joseph Lawora, of New Castle, attempted to arrest a party of cattle rustlers who were in camp on South Beaver creek Friday evening. The rustlers resisted arrest and fired upon the officers. Their shots were returned, and a spirited fight was kept up for several minutes. Two of the rustlers, John Timms and Hank Thompson, of Powder river, were killed. A third rustler was wounded and secured. The officers escaped from the fight uninjured.

Arrival and Departure of Trains

B. & O. S. W.
DEPART—6:00 a. m., 10:40 a. m., 2:00 p. m., 4:5 p. m., 7:00 p. m., 11:25 p. m.
ARRIVE—8:05 a. m., 8:10 a. m., 12:25 p. m., 4:15 p. m., 6:40 p. m., 8:55 p. m.

T. & O. C. E.
LEAVE..... 9:00 a. m., 4:10 a. m.
ARRIVE..... 12:30 p. m., 7:45 a. m.

C. & M.
LEAVE..... 9:25 a. m., 2:55 p. m.
ARRIVE..... 11:15 a. m., 7:05 p. m.

Z. & O.
LEAVE..... 6:30 a. m., 2:40 p. m.
ARRIVE..... 10:40 a. m., 5:55 p. m.

O. R. R. (Eastern Time.)
SOUTH..... 10:25 a. m., 7:6 p. m.
NORTH..... 11:15 p. m., 8:30, 7:28 a. m.

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